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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Total claims	15	Minus	**=20	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$
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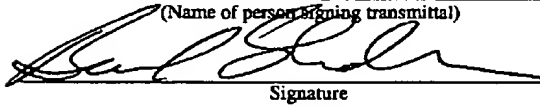
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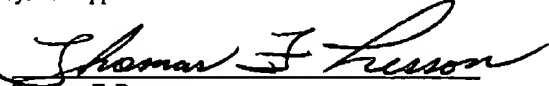
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Non-final Office Action mailed on August 23, 2005, having a
three-month statutory period for response set to expire on November 23, 2005, please amend the
above-identified application as follows.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.